

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

Claims 1-20 (cancelled)

Claim 21 (new): A building element for constructing a play apparatus, comprising

at least one support element and

at least two connectors connected to the support element for releasable coupling to other support elements, wherein the connectors can swivel relative to the support element.

Claim 22 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 21, wherein the support element comprises a force conductor connecting the connectors.

Claim 23 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 22, wherein the force conductor is positioned substantially inside the support element.

Claim 24 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 21, wherein at least on its surface the support element is substantially resilient.

Claim 25 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 21, wherein the support element takes an inflatable form.

Claim 26 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 21, wherein the support element is manufactured substantially by rotation moulding of plastic.

Claim 27 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 21, wherein the support element comprises at least one substantially elongate rib.

Claim 28 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 26, wherein the connectors are fixed to at least two end surfaces of the rib.

Claim 29 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 21, wherein the support element has a substantially flat geometrical form.

Claim 30 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 29, wherein the geometrical form is a triangle, preferably an equilateral or right-angled triangle.

Claim 31 (new): The building element as claimed in claim 21, wherein the connectors are substantially uniform.

Claim 32 (new): A connector for use in a building element as claimed in claim 21.

Claim 33 (new): The connector as claimed in claim 32, wherein the connector comprises velcro tape.

Claim 34 (new): The connector as claimed in claim 32, wherein the connector is adapted for stackable coupling.

Claim 35 (new): The connector as claimed in claim 32, wherein the connector is provided with locking means.

Claim 36 (new): The connector as claimed in claim 32, wherein the connector is adapted for a bayonet coupling, preferably a rotation-asymmetrical bayonet coupling.

Claim 37 (new): A fall-absorbing base provided with at least one connector for coupling to a building element as claimed in claim 21.

Claim 38 (new): The fall-absorbing base as claimed in claim 37, wherein the fall-absorbing base comprises a peripheral zone free of connectors, wherein the peripheral zone has a width of at least 1 metre, preferably at least 2 metres, from a periphery of the fall-absorbing base.

Claim 39 (new): A fall-absorbing base coupled to a building element, said building element comprising at least one support element and at least two connectors, said connectors connected to the support element for releasable coupling to other support elements, wherein the connectors can swivel relative to the support element.

Claim 40 (new): A kit of parts for constructing a play apparatus, comprising at least one building element as claimed in claim 21.

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

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